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Biological Diversity Act, 2002 (Central Act No.18 of 2003) A.P. State Biodiversity – extension of tenure of the Chairman for a further period of 1 year 5 months – Orders – Issued.

ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY (For.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 484

Dated:14-09-2012 Read the following:

- 1.G.O.Ms.No.68, EFS&T (For.II) Dept., Dt.11.5.2006
- 2.G.O.Rt.No.417, EFS&T (For.II) Dept., Dt.21.8.2009
- 3.Representation of Sri Dr.R.Hampaiah, Chairman, APSBDB., Dt.26.6.2012
- 4.The MS., APSBDB., Ref.No.26/APSBDB/State/2007, Dt.10.7.2012.

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## ORDER:

In the G.O. 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, the term of Dr.R.Hampaiah, Chairman, A.P. State Biodiversity Board was extended for a further period of 3 years with effect from 21.8.2009 which has expired by 20.08.2012.

- 2. In the reference 3<sup>rd</sup> read above, Dr.R.Hampaiah, Chairman, A.P. State Biodiversity Board has requested for extension of his tenure till he attains the age of 65 years i.e., 31.1.2014, duly explaining the circumstances and also the importance of Conference of Parties (CoP-11) to the Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD) which is an International conference being hosted at Hyderabad from 1-19, October, 2012.
- 3. In the reference 4<sup>th</sup> read above, the Member Secretary, A.P. State Biodiversity Board has recommended to extend the tenure of Dr.R.Hampaiah, as Chairman, A.P. State Biodiversity Board, up to 31.1.2014 i.e., till he attains 65 years of Age, as per rule 4.1 of A.P. Biodiversity rules 2009, as his services are required for CoP-11, and post CoP-11 activities.
- 4. In the circumstances stated above, Government after careful consideration and, in view of ensuing Conference of Parties (CoP-11) to the Convention on Biological Diversity (CBD) to be held at Hyderabad from 1-19, October.2012, the tenure of Dr.R.Hampaiah, is here by extended as Chairman, A.P. State Biodiversity Board for a further period of 1 year 5 months from 21.08.2012 to 31.01.2014 by which date he attaining the age of 65 years, in accordance with rule 4.1 of A.P. Biodiversity rules 2009, as per usual terms and conditions

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

M. SAMUEL, SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

То

The Chairman and all the Members of A.P. State Biodiversity Board, Hyderabad.

The Member Secretary, A.P. State Biodiversity Board, Hyderabad.

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## Copy to

The Secretary, Government of India,
Ministry of Environment and Forests,
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The Secretary to CM
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests HoFF), A.P. Hyderabad.
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (WL) &
Chief Wildlife Warden, A.P. Hyderabad.
PS to M(FES&T)
PS to CS
PS to Spl. CS., EFS&T Dept.,
PS to Spl. Secy. (For.)
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//FORWARED :: BY ORDER//

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